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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The concise explanations of relevance for Japanese Documents No. 5-83722 and No. 2000-347287 are provided in the Related Background Art section of the specification.

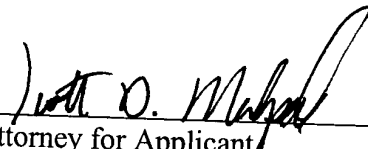
As will also be appreciated, U.S. Patent No. 5,523,802 corresponds to Japanese Document No. 6-230737 and U.S. Patent No. 5,751,429 corresponds to Japanese Document No. 9-61244. These Japanese documents are also discussed beginning on page 45, line 3 of the specification.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that an initialed copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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